

WASHINGTON NEWS

A special dispatch to the Lincoln, Neb., Journal, says: Advocates of legislation for the suppression of the opium traffic are urging congress to act at this session. The president's message of May 31 was devoted to that subject. The United States government lead in this movement,

PATENTS

Watson E. Coleman, Patent Lawyer, Washington, D.C. Advice and books free. Rates reasonable. Highest references. Best service.

PATENTS SECURED OR REFUSED

Free report as to patentability. Illustrated Guide Book, and List of Inventions Wanted, sent free. VICTOR J. EVANS & CO., Washington, D. C.

A Kidney Specialist



Should be employed if you want the best results. Why take patent nostrums and employ inexperienced doctors when your life is at stake. When you want good work done you employ an experienced man. Why not apply the same rule when your health needs attention. In the past 24 years I have treated over 40,000 patients. More than your family doctor would treat in 200 years. Why not get the benefit of my experience when it costs no more than the family doctor. Consultation and examination of urine free. Write today for mailing case for urine and book of cures. Address

DR. J. F. SHAFER, Specialist,
408 Penn Ave., Box 4, Pittsburgh, Pa.

and has been supported by twelve other governments in its efforts to mitigate, if not entirely suppress, the world's opium evil. Accompanying the president's message was the recommendation of the secretary of state that such legislation should be specially considered by the house and senate.

The United States senate will take a final vote on the Lorimer case July 6th.

By a vote of 33 to 37 the senate refused to permit the amendment to the iron and steel tariff revision bill which embodies the proposal to repeal the Canadian reciprocity law.

The appropriation bill passed by both houses provides for the abolition of the court of commerce. It is said that President Taft will veto this measure and that if he does the pay of all government employees will be held up for a time.

The house of representatives has adopted the report which removes General Leonard Wood from office March 4, 1913. Friends of General Wood charge that he was being sued

by the friends of the late Mark Hanna because he had prosecuted against Hanna's wishes the Cuban frauds.

Representative Fitzgerald of New York charged in the house that President Taft had misused the \$25,000 traveling expense fund voted by congress.

Representative Robert C. Wickliffe of Louisiana, was run over by a railroad train near Washington city. Mr. Wickliffe was out on a fishing trip.

Railroad lawyers led an attack before the house judiciary committee on the house anti-injunction bill. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, defended the measure.

The presence of American warships in Havana harbor, according to the view taken by the department of state at Washington, is regarded as greatly diminishing the likelihood of intervention by the United States. The ships' presence will, it is believed, have the effect of restraining the restlessness in Havana.

With five justices concurring and four dissenting, the United States supreme court handed down a decision in which it is held that conspiracy to violate the federal laws is punishable in any state where an overt act is done to further that conspiracy.

President Taft has vetoed the army appropriation bill, disapproving, particularly, the provision which would oust Major General Leonard Wood from the office of chief of staff on March 4th, next.

Efforts of the republican minority in the house to defeat the Underwood steel bill by adding the senate amendment to repeal the Canadian reciprocity measure, was defeated by a vote of 144 to 101.

Attorney General Wickersham will institute two suits, it is stated, against the Southern Pacific and allied railroads to recover oil lands in California which the government values at \$750,000,000.

The grain report issued by the department of agriculture shows a healthy increase in the estimated production over that of last year.

A Washington dispatch, carried by the Associated Press says: The house has so amended the sundry civil appropriation bill as virtually in the opinion of Attorney General to repeal the Sherman anti-trust law, Wickersham, if the provision is finally enacted into law.

The amendment, it is said, would legislate Jacob M. Dickinson, formerly secretary of war, out of the employ of the government as its "chief counsel" in the steel trust suit, as well as similarly affect Mr. Townsend, special assistant to the attorney general in the proceedings for the recovery of oil lands from the Southern Pacific companies and others.

The provision would forbid the attorney general from using the sundry civil appropriations for the payment of salary or allowance to any person holding another position under the government or who had been in the federal employ during the preceding two years.

A dispatch from Washington says: The interstate commerce commission denied the application of the southern Pacific company for relief from the operation of the long and short haul law on traffic between Portland, Ore., and San Francisco and common points. It was held

here that the Southern Pacific has justified the exaction of higher rates southbound from Portland to points inland than to San Francisco. The existing rates subjecting intermediate points to the long and short provision will stand with the adjustment of rates to be made by August 1.

RHEUMATISM

Don't Invite Torture by Neglecting Nature's Warnings—Try My Drafts.

Coupon Brings Them To Try FREE

Don't let that Rheumatism gain another inch. Sign and mail my coupon and you'll get by return post, prepaid, a regular Dollar pair of Magic Foot Drafts, the great Michigan remedy for rheumatism of every kind. To Try Free. Thousands write us that the Drafts cure where everything else fails, even



Fred K. Dyer, Cor. Sec.

after a lifetime of suffering and trying. If it were not so, how could we send them On Approval, for we get the difficult cases as well as the mild. Then why hesitate? When the Drafts come, try them, they're simple, convenient and harmless, though powerful. Then after trying, if you are satisfied with the relief they bring you, you can send us One Dollar. If

not, they cost you nothing. Send this coupon and make us prove these strong claims. Do it today.



This \$1.00 Coupon FREE

Good for a regular \$1.00 pair of Magic Foot Drafts to be sent Free to Try (as explained above) to

Name

Address

Mail this coupon to Magic Foot Draft Company, X25 Oliver Bldg., Jackson, Mich.

Best Farmers Use Printed Stationery. Rise to the dignity of sound business. 100 Noteheads, 100 Envelopes, 100 Cards, \$1 postpaid. Neatly printed with name of farm and products. Be up-to-date; advertise your stock, poultry, dairy products, etc. National Printing Co., Shelbyville, Ind.

Subscribers' Advertising Dept.

ECZEMA SPECIFIC—absolutely guaranteed, sent by mail, \$1.50. Almklovs Pharmacy, Cooperstown, N. Dak.

BOOK 1000 FARMS, everywhere, for trade; get our plan for exchanging. Graham Bros., Eldorado, Kan.

TENANTS WANTED—We own 4000 acres rich Red River bottom land, 4 miles east of Shreveport, La., and we desire to secure good tenants who can farm 320 acres or more. Not subject to overflow; very rich and fertile; will sell in 40-acre tracts and up. Allen & Hart, 303 Commerce Bldg., Kansas City Mo.

EARN \$10 weekly addressing postcards at home. Bunch of cards and particulars 10c. E. B. Postcard Co., Station D13, Grand Rapids, Mich.

BEAUTIFUL Draughton Estate in garden spot of North Carolina; 430 acres fertile land; good 8-room dwelling in large oak grove; 150 acres in cultivation; balance in pasture and timber; large barn and all other necessary outbuildings; in Sampson county, on main thoroughfare, 3 miles from Delway, 9 miles from Rose Hill, on R. F. D. and telephone line; well watered; good neighbors; schools and churches convenient; delightful climate; extremely healthful locality. Price, for quick action, only \$13 an acre, with \$2,090 cash and balance in 5 years, \$700 yearly. Direct from owner who desires to sell immediately on account of failing health. Title perfect. Southern Homeseekers' Bureau, Wilkesboro, N. C.

Two Pieces of Standard Sheet Music

Sent to You Without Cost

Send us only 10 cents to cover mailing charges and we will send you absolutely without cost two free sample pieces of fine sheet music. Make your choice from the list of 25 beautiful vocal and instrumental selections appearing in this advertisement, give the numbers of the two pieces you wish, fill out the coupon and mail today. This offer is good for a limited time only.

We make this extraordinary offer simply to give you an opportunity to see samples taken from our library of over 300 pieces of the world's best music by the greatest composers, and to tell you how you can get any or all of these pieces absolutely without cost in exchange for a little pleasant work among your friends. This is your chance to build up a fine library of music.

This library comprises over 300 of the world's best musical compositions in standard sheet music form, including standard compositions as well as the latest popular successes of the day. The best vocal and instrumental, classical, semi-classical and popular compositions. Full sheet music size, printed on heavy music paper from lithographic stones. The original artistic edition, illuminated title pages in two, three and four colors.

THE AMERICAN HOMESTEAD, Lincoln, Neb.

SEND COUPON TODAY

The American Homestead, Lincoln, Neb: Enclosed find 10 cents (stamps or coin) to cover mailing charges on two pieces of sample sheet music, taken from your library of over 300 pieces of the world's best music, and also tell me how I can obtain any number of these I wish without cost to me. (B)

Name

P. O.

Send No. No.



Select Your Choice of Two

POPULAR VOCAL MUSIC

- 220 Come Back to Erin.....Moore
- 222 Dear HeartMattei
- 227 Flowers That Bloom in SpringSullivan
- 242 Last Rose of Summer.....Moore
- 267 Still as the Night.....Bohm
- 279 When You and I Were Young, MaggieButterfield
- 305 How'd You Like to Be My Beau (a sweet little love song)Phil Burt
- 306 I've a World of Love in My Heart for You.....Phil Burt
- 307 Sing Love's Old Sweet Song Again (Big song success)Ellis
- 308 Vision of Eden (Sacred Song)Monnett
- 309 When Everything Was SunshineWood
- 310 When First I Saw the Love-light in Your Eyes.....Wood

INSTRUMENTAL COMPOSITIONS

- 1 A Frangosa March.....Costa
- 12 Barcarolle (From Tales of Hoffman)Offenbach
- 46 Evening Star (Tannhauser)Wagner-Liszt
- 50 Faust (Transcription).....Leybach
- 52 Fifth NocturneLeybach
- 74 Il TrovatoreDorn
- 146 Poet and Peasant (Overture)Suppe
- 314 College March Medley.....Hawley
- 326 Loving Hearts (Tone Poem)K. Reiser
- 334 Sweet Meditations (A charming reverie)Kay
- 329 Moonbeams on the LakeFitzpatrick
- 312 At Sundown, Reverie (Big Success)Wilson